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## SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office action of March 10, 2003, an Amendment was filed on September 10, 2003 (copy attached).

An extension of time to respond to the Office Action was filed concurrently (copy attached). The petition was filed for a small entity when in fact, the applicant is a large entity. Enclosed is a check for \$485.00, the additional fee for large entity at the new rates required as of October 1, 2003.

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Reply to Office action of March 10, 2003

Respectfully submitted,

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